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May, J. et al) Examiner: Kyle, C.
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Filing Date: May 22, 2000)
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For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR)
FACILITATING ONLINE PAYMENT)
TRANSACTIONS IN A NETWORK-)
BASED TRANSACTION FACILITY USING)
MULTIPLE PAYMENT INSTRUMENTS)

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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action mailed June 19, 2003, the Applicants respectfully request the Examiner to consider the following remarks.

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IN THE DRAWINGS

The Examiner has objected to Figure 9 under 37 C.F.R. § 1.83(b) as being unidentifiable. Applicants have submitted a new Figure 9. No new matter has been added.